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Quille (00:02): We're just going to low cut, shortcut tape on the back and some feathers around the side with a couple of pieces for color. Okay. Hello, I'm Quilly the stylist in 435 East Patapsco at Diamonds Cuts. We'll just blended it in there. I don't know? That's just my nickname. My name Maquilla, so everybody called me Quilly for short. Put this glue onto this piece right here, just do it neatly like this so it can make it look, "Pow!" I have twin girls. I have three girls by the way. I have twin girls, they 12. They be 13 this year, and I have a six year old girl, Jayden, Jewel, and Jordan. I need to teach them things because I could be gone today or tomorrow, you feel me? Certain things, as far as them knowing how to have common sense because they real smart. All three of them, they're real smart, but I want you to be able to... A situation can come along. And then, you need to figure out what the smart thing is to do. Pick up my daughters right now. They was at the library doing their homework.

Jayden (01:09): My name is Jayden. I'm in the sixth grade.

Jordan (01:12): My name is Jordan, and I am in kindergarten.

Jewel (01:13): My name is Jewel. I'm 12, and I'm in the sixth grade.

Speaker 5 (01:25): What do you think is the most important lesson in life that your mom has taught you so far?

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Jordan (01:29): If somebody hit me, hit them back.

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